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Report of Churchwardens from April 26th, 1878, to March 31st, 1879.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in hand April 26th, 1878	$1,169 82
Pew rents to March 31st, 1879, (11 months)	1,062 46
Offertories	1,254 09
Cash from Special Service December 22nd, 1878, (and $92 in subscription)	228 95
Private donations	55 00
Donation from Bishop Cridge	50 00
	$3,820 32

PAYMENTS.

Stipends.—The Bishop (11 months)	$1,833 26
" Organist, $140; Sexton, $100; J. Dutnall, $20	260 00
Insurance on Church, $131 25; organ, $33 75; school house, $15	180 00
Interest on loan	276 40
Cash redemption of subscription (and in subscription, $275)	739 50
Tuning organ, $50; repairing organ, $45; music, $28 87	123 87
Alms offering for distribution by the Bishop	62 40
Gas	80 70
Sustentation Fund	100 00
Hibben & Co., $9 25; advertising for Asst. Minister, $5	14 25
Discount on silver to the Bank of British North America	45 00
Enlarging flue, $4 50; brooms, dusters, etc., $6 25; washing surplice, etc., $12 75	23 50
Cash on hand March 31st, 1879	81 44
	$3,820 32

March 1st, 1877, Funded Debt	$6,311 90
April 1st, 1879, "	4,090 50
Reduction	$2,221 40
Cash in Savings Bank, Asst. Minister Fund	$173 50
" " Indigent Home Fund	56 50

The foregoing statement, it will be observed, embraces a period of eleven months only. Pew rents pertaining to the quarter ending December 31st, 1878, only, are comprised in the report. Arrears unpaid at that date, and the rents now due for the quarter just closed, amount to about $500. As compared with the previous year, the revenue exhibits a most gratifying proof of the continued liberality and zealous support for which the congregation has been distinguished since its organization.

With the extra financial asssistance derived from the special collection of Sunday, December 22nd, 1878, the Churchwardens have been enabled to discharge all current liabilities with the exception of one month's stipend to the Bishop, the balance in hand being insufficient to cover the full amount due.

The sum of $63 50 was contributed by private subscription towards the purchase of two Chancel Chairs. The cost of these was $50, leaving a balance of $13 50, which has been set apart and designated a Font and Lectern Fund.

The Rev. Mr. Crystal has not yet been heard from, although his application has been accepted.

A. A. GREEN, }
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